**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services - Guntur District - Sri K.Dattatreya Sarma, former Tahsildar, Kolluru Mandal, Guntur District (Retd) - Disciplinary proceedings initiated under rule 20 of A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – AoCs issued – Explanation Submitted – Enquiry officer appointed – Enquiry report submitted – Charged Officer expired – Disciplinary proceedings concluded under Rule 9 of A.P.R.P.Rules, 1980 - Further action abated – Orders – Issued.

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**REVENUE (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.RT.No. 211** **Dated: 09-04-2021.**

**Read the following:**

1. Procdgs of the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur, Rc.No.1715/2013-A4, Dt:15.03.2017.
2. From the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Vijayawada, CCLAs Lr.No.VS.II91)/707/2019-1, dated.02-01-2020.
3. Govt.Memo.No.LANA0CCLV(DISC)/23/2020-Vig.III(2), Dt:12.05.2020.
4. From the CCLA, Letter.No.Vigilance/VSII(2)/701/2019, Dt:26.02.2021.

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**ORDER:**

Whereas, it was brought to the notice of the Government that the District Collector, Guntur has issued AoCs against 1.Sri K.Dattatreya Sarma, former Tahsildar, Kolluru (Retd) 2.Sri P.Radha Krishna Murthy, the then V.R.O, Kolluru-1 (V) & 3. Sri M.Satyam, the then V.R.O, Patanaandayapalem (V), Karlapalem village, for not acting proactively to conduct Revenue Sadassulu by not propagate the salient features of Revenue Sadassulu in public and caused very thin attendance in Revenue Sadassulu programme, vide the 1st read above. The three Charged Officers has submitted their written statement of defenses. Further, the Joint Collector-II, Guntur was appointed as Inquiry officer to inquire into the matter.

2. And whereas, in the reference 2nd read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Vijayawada has stated that the Inquiry officer/Joint Collector-II, Guntur has submitted his inquiry report against Tahsiladar i.e Sri Dattatreya Sarma (Retired on 31.3.2017) only, and not submitted inquiry report against other (02) delinquent officials i.e VROs. The enquiry officer in his report stated that the charge is not in grave nature and not proved and also reported to drop further action against Tahsildar. Since, one of the Charged Officers i.e., Sri K.Dattatreya Sarma, former Tahsildar, Kolluru was retired from Service, the CCLA has submitted the report of the District Collector, Guntur along with inquiry report of the Joint Collector-II, Guntur, to Government to conclude the departmental action against Sri K.Dattatreya Sarma, Tahsildar (Retd), under rule.9 of A.P.R.P. Rules, 1980.

3. Government after careful examination of the matter, have requested the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Vijayawada/the District Collector, Guntur to furnish the Inquiry report in respect of the remaining officers also, for examination and taking further action in the matter, vide the reference 3rd read above.

4. In the reference 4th read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Vijayawada, among others, has informed that Smt. K.Rajyalakshmi W/o Late K.Dattatreya Sarma has fled a representation stating that her husband Sri K.Dattatreya Sarma was expired on 06.08.2020 and getting provisional pension till the date of death of her husband as a disciplinary case is pending against him. Further she informed that the treasury authorities are not transferring the provisional pension and also requested to finalize the disciplinary case so as to enable her to receive the family pension. Therefore, the CCLA has requested the Government to consider the request of Smt.K.Rajyalakshmi W/o Late K.Dattatreya Sarma, Tahsildar (Retd)., as per Rule 9 Sub-Rule 7(b) of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980, and issue necessary orders in this matter.

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5. Government, after careful examination of the matter, have decided and hereby order to abate further action in this case against Sri K.Dattatreya Sarma, former Tahsildar, Kolluru, Guntur District (Retd) who expired on 06.08.2020, in terms of Rule 9 (7) of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980, subject to recovery of any financial loss caused to Government and to release terminal benefits to the legal heir of the deceased employee.

6. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Vijayawada/the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur shall take necessary further action in the matter, accordingly.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**V. USHARANI,**
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

**To**
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur.
**Copy to:**
Legal heir of late Sri K.Dattatreya Sarma, former Tahsildar, Kolluru, Guntur District (Retd) through the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur.
The Prl AG(A&E), AP, Hyderabad.
Sf/Sc.

**//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//**

**SECTION OFFICER**